

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS ITEMS FROM SIGNAL

OFFICE OF THE FISCAL COURT OF ROCKCASTLE COUNTY:

Sealed proposals addressed to the Fiscal Court of Rockcastle County for the construction of that part of the road leading to the Laurel County line from Mt. Vernon, Ky., between Mt. Vernon and Livingston, Ky., known as State Aid Road No. 78, will be received up to noon February 21st, 1916, and will be publicly opened and read at 2 o'clock, p. m. on said date. The plans and specifications for said road may be seen at the office of the Clerk of the Rockcastle County Court in Mt. Vernon, having been approved by the Fiscal Court of Rockcastle County and the Commissioner of Public Roads, and bids must be for the work done in accordance with said plans and specifications. The road is approximately nine miles.

Bids will be received on the work as a whole, or for each mile separately. Bids will also be received on grading and macadamizing of said road separately, in the same divisions just set out. The said Fiscal Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Before contracts are binding on the first parties they must receive the approval of the Commissioner of Public Roads. Each bid must be accompanied by cash or certified check, payable at sight to the order of the County Treasurer for 5 per cent. of the amount of the proposal, which check shall be held until the execution of the contract.

Before the contract is awarded, the successful bidder will be required to furnish a bond equal to the amount of the proposal for the faithful performance of the work in accordance with the aforesaid plans and specifications.

All work to be done under the direction and supervision of the State Road department.

By Order of the Fiscal Court of Rockcastle County.

S. F. BOWMAN,
Clerk Rockcastle Fiscal Court.

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MT. VERNON, KY.

JANUARY 13, 1888.

Liberty Langford Very low of fever.

T. J. Cress moved to Rulo.

D. M. Cress is able to go to town

Melvin Wallen teaching singing school at Kirby school house.

J. F. Wallin on a business trip to Harlan.

Bill Moberly killed 76 rattlesnakes in the stump of a hollow tree he had cut down near Conway.

Mrs. Mary Conn, of Brodhead, visited her daughter, Mrs. Helen Brown at Mt. Vernon.

School under the supervision of Miss Mollie Talbot opened at Brodhead.

Rulo is situated five miles south of Mt. Vernon on Skaggs creek.

has six dwellings, one school house, a church and a blacksmith shop. Inhabitants are all prohib.

Uncle Johnny Gentry while eating his lunch in a side room of Fagan's store, was by oversight of the proprietor, locked in, when Mr. Fagan went to Mt. Vernon.

The prisoner climbed out a back window and had a jump of ten feet to reach the ground.

H. P. Broyles teaching subscription school at Plato.

Thirty four additions to the church at Line Creek.

Mrs. James Houk visited her daughter, Mrs. Nannie C. Albright, at Freedom.

Mrs. R. L. Myers has returned to her home at Pleasant Valley (Cove), from a visit to Louisville.

S. H. Martin sold W. P. Chesnut root bundles at \$2 per hundred.

J. L. Hardin is telegraphing at Sinks.

James Sambrook, Champ Mullins, Dr. Jennings and John Mullins attended court at Mt. Vernon Monday.

Hood & Randolph bought all the land and property on south side of river belonging to Livingston Coal Company.

Lime Club at Livingston reorganized, with Tink Anderson president, and John Walton secretary.

George Gentry and wife were guests of F. M. Bloomer one day last week.

Micajah McKenzie and wife visited friends and relatives in Pulaski last week.

Jasper Francisco sold A. I. Thompson ten head of stock hogs at 3 cents.

Mumps raging in Kirby's store locality.

Disputants correspondent says: "We are looking for another wedding soon, the same fellow who got pig bit some time since." (Let's see, it wasn't Henry Wood that got worsted by a shoat was it?)

James Miller was attacked by two wildcats. Jim's yells attracted his neighbor's dogs which came to his rescue.

James J. White, Sheriff, advertises land for sale.

Dr. Grant, of Lancaster, is in town.

J. J. Williams, of Stanford, was here Monday and Tuesday on business.

N. M. Shumate was in town Wednesday.

Jasper Rickels has rented the Joe Joplin farm for another year.

Nate Evans returned from Ohio and resumed telegraphing nights at depot.

F. L. Thompson has bought the interest of his brother, J. J. in their store.

Miss Maggie Reynolds, Mrs. Polly Martin and Mrs. Mary Freeman paid this office a call Tuesday.

J. W. Nesbitt working twenty five hands at mouth of Skaggs creek getting out staves.

James Griffin has secured a position with the Lynchburg Tobacco Company of Virginia.

C. W. Adams lost his money which he loaned to a Stewartsville Missouri bank, at a high rate of interest.

Miss Alice Bethurum and Mrs. Lee Carter paid this office a pleasant call today.

Jim Brown, one of the most

popular passenger conductors, on the L. & N., died Friday.

Withers Correspondent: Born to the wife of H. J. Mullins a son.

Proctors Store, Correspondent: Will have a post office at this place soon called Macon. (It was named Quail).

W. A. Langford of Whitehall, visited relatives at Langford Station.

Conway Lumber Company doing an extensive business. Recently purchased a new and larger mill.

H. G. Sutton has our thanks for two subscriptions.

Wildie: Dr. Benton is up and about again.

Miss Ella Ramsey will teach at Fairview.

W. L. Langford bought the interest of M. N. Langford in the old home place, at Langford station.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. Cheney, Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December A. D. 1886.

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Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Brodhead

BORN to the wife of J. J. Painter, last week, a girl.—Miley Hawkins, after visiting home folks at Lebanon Junction for a few days, returned to his work at Clark's restaurant last week.

Dr. G. B. Lawrence, of Level Green, was here last week to see J. M. Adams, who is in failing health.—Dr. W. B. O'Bannon, of Stanford, was here last Friday to see Uncle Tom Frith, in consultation with Dr. W. F. Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Lawrence have moved from the property recently purchased by C. T. Riddle, from W. H. Lynch to the rooms over Mr. Lawrence's store.—J. Thos Cherry, of Crab Orchard, was here last Friday a few hours on business.—Mr. and Mrs. J. Ben Pike, now living in Detroit, Mich., sold their house and lot near the Methodist church here, to his brother, John Pike, for \$425.00.—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wullin were in Crab Orchard, Saturday.—Gobel, the youngest son of Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Pike, has a serious attack of pneumonia. His condition is slightly improved at present.—Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Richards, of Mt. Vernon, were here Saturday and Sunday on account of the serious illness of her aunt Mrs. Richards has been here during the week.—J. F. Watson and Mildred Robins were with the family of F. L. Durham in Mt. Vernon, Sunday.—Frank B Ward, assistant agent for the L. & N. at Junction City, was with home folks the first of the week.—Mrs. J. J. Albright and little son, Mack, were with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McCall, Saturday and Sunday, at Mareburg.—Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Carter, of this city, accompanied by Mrs. W. H. Owens, of near Conway, were in Louisville, Monday. Mrs. Owens, who is in ill health, will remain in Louisville several days for treatment.—An aunt of A. T. Furnish, who makes her home with him, is quite sick, and her recovery is considered very doubtful.—Carrington was in Mt. Vernon, Monday.—Miss Judith McCall, of Mareburg, entered school here during the week.—Mrs. O. W. Turpin, who has been very low with grip for the past two weeks, is thought to be some better.—Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hiatt, of Quail, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hiatt, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Riddle, the first of the week.—Mrs. Wm. Potts is ser-

iously ill at this writing, and considerable doubt is entertained by those acquainted with her condition as to her recovery.—Judge G. M. Ballard, County Attorney E. R. Gentry, Squire Wm. Hurst and the State's surveyor, were here Wednesday to take steps to make road improvements just south of town. Citizens along the road leading from town to P. E. Shivel's farm, claim that the road is almost impassable, and that it is really dangerous in places. Immediate steps will be taken to correct this trouble.—Miss Mary Tyree returned home last week after spending several months in Illinois with her sister.—Mrs. Martha Templin is quite sick with grip.—W. D. Cummins has been in the Quail section this week looking out a location.—The National Hunt, which took place near Lagrange, Ky., last season, was presented in moving picture at the Carson.—Wheelodon show last Tuesday night. The house was filled and many were unable to get seats. Their regular night is Saturday, but this play could only be secured at this time, and it proved to be a great audience getter.

SEVERE COLDS QUICKLY CURED

"On December first I had a very severe cold or attack of the grip as it may be, and was nearly down sick in bed," writes O. J. Metcalf, weatherby, Mo. "I bought two bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it was only a few days until I was completely restored to health. I firmly believe that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is one of the very best medicines and will know what to do when I have another cold. Obtainable everywhere."

Graded School Items.

The public is cordially invited to attend the special programs for Chapel which are as follows:

Feb. 11—Miss Stewart.

Feb. 18—Washington Program.

Feb. 25—Brother Young.

March 3—J. S. Irvine.

March 10—Mr. Felix Bowman.

March 17—St. Patrick's Day Program.

March 24—Mr. E. R. Gentry.

March 31—Musical Program by School.

April 7—Judge Bethurum.

April 14—Miss Stewart.

April 21—Music by Langdon School.

April 28—Mr. J. W. Brown.

May 5—Brother Young.

May 12—Mr. J. S. Irvine.

Those who made the Star Roll in the Mt. Vernon Graded School for the fifth month are: Mary Langford, Ella Mae McKenzie, Arthur Thompson, Lillian Griffin, Rosa Gentry, Nora Orton, Bettha DeBoard, Hazle Parrett Edna Davis and Clara Traub. Those who made the Honor Roll are: Sydney Crawford, Ruth Landrum, Verna Welch, Hiatt Crawford, Willie Davis, Maggie Livesay, Byron Webb, Marguerite Welch, Elsie Mae Coffey, Maggie Jones, Ida Hamlin, Edith Adams, Christine Davis, Ruby Cooper, Annette Cox, Wilburn Miller, Fay McClure, Jesse DeBord, Maude Adams, Emil Webb, Austin Staverson, Eliza Langford, Bradley Mullins, Jack Crawford, Charley Hendrickson, Lillian Cox, John Carmichael, Walter Bradley, Katherine Welch, Fannie McFerron, William Landrum, Nina Cox, Gladys Ping, Stephen Proctor and Henry Nicoley.

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Mareburg

(Delayed Letter)

Born to the wife of Lee Middleton on the 23, a girl, christened, Ella Lillian.—There is a great deal of sickness in this neighborhood.

—Master Thomas Wallen visited friends in Berea from Saturday until Monday.—Mrs. Ben Cummins died of pneumonia Sunday.

She had been sick only a few days. She leaves a husband and three children, also a father, brothers and sisters to mourn the loss of a devoted companion and loving mother, whose place can never be filled. Funeral services were held at the church by Rev. J. G. Soward, after which the remains were laid to rest by the side of the infant which preceded her only four days. The husband and two of the children were sick at time of Mrs. Cummins death and unable to attend the funeral.

—School closed Tuesday January 25. The pupils attending regularly made fine grades at end of the term. The pupils of this school are very bright and interesting children, and give promise of one day being an honor to the community in which they live. Most of the parents, however, are interested in the educational welfare of their children. But one thing is lacking on the part of the parents here as well as in other places, they do not encourage the teacher as they should. It takes more than the teacher to have successful schools. If any one on earth needs encouragement, it is the teacher. No one only those who have experienced teaching knows how much a word of praise or a visit from the parent, helps and encourages the teacher. Parents, if you have any flowers for us, give them while we're living, don't save them for our coffin lids, and if you have a word of praise say it while we can hear.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Bethurum are with D. P. Bethurum who is very sick.

FOR A BILLIOUS ATTACK.

When you have a severe headache, accompanied by a coated tongue, loathing of food, constipation, torpid liver, vomiting of partially digested food and then bile, you may know that you have a severe bilious attack. While you may be quite sick there is much consolation in knowing that relief may be had by taking three of Chamberlain's Tablets. They are prompt and effectual. Obtainable everywhere.

Walnut Grove

Ben Bradley's children who have hooping cough, are slowly improving.—Mrs. Virgil Brown's mother, Mrs. A. J. Hamm, is very sick.—M. E. Burtoa, of Plato, was

through this section buying hogs Thursday.—Poplar Grove school closed Wednesday with several present, and all reported a nice time.—Little Charles McWilliams has been very sick but is some better.—J. J. Headrick sold four head of cattle to J. Hill McMullin, of Wadd, for \$150.—Mrs. Mary McKinney's mother, who has been suffering with the grip, is slowly improving.—Dr. W. T. Francis will be at Walnut Grove for a short time to do dental work.—Mrs. Alice Gastinau, who has been sick for some time, is very low.—Virgil Brown was in Somerset Monday on business.

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A HORRIBLE CONDITION

For time immemorial the liquor interests have had absolute sway in the counties of Kenton and Campbell. The liquor people and their friends have controlled the elections and elevated to office—with very few exceptions—only such men as were under obligation to them and upon whom they could safely depend to be protected in their open and defiant disregard of the law in the conduct of their business. The offices that have to do with the enforcement of the law are and have in almost every instance been filled by men owned and controlled by the liquor interests and to whom the oath of office means nothing when ever and wherever it conflicts with the vicious business of their master.

In a judicial proceeding before the Judge of the Criminal Division of the Kenton Circuit Court, a few weeks ago, instituted by the Attorney General of the State for the purpose of closing the saloons of Kenton County on Sunday, a most shocking condition was shown to exist. The County Judge, Sheriff and Deputy Sheriffs, Justice of the Peace, Police Judge and Policemen all went upon the witness stand and without even a blush, in a most shameless and disgusting manner, testified under oath that the saloons of the county were and had been, as long as they could remember, running wide open on Sunday; that drunken men and women from Cincinnati, Ohio, and elsewhere thronged the streets and public places, engaged in the most boisterous and unseemly conduct, converting the city of Covington and county of Kenton into a veritable cess pool, without the slightest interference or molestation from any source. These officers publicly admitted that they cared nothing about their official oaths and were recreant in the discharge of their official duties and were time and again applauded by the friends of the liquor traffic for thus stultifying themselves.

When a good citizen or public official dares lift his voice to protest against these things, he is forthwith branded an enemy of the community and they make it their business to see that he is defeated in the event he is a candidate for a political office.

Thank God that outraged decency, broken laws and violated oaths in these two counties have raised a hue and cry that has been caught up in almost every section of the State and will not down until the blighting and destructive influence of the liquor interests in public life is destroyed, their henchmen driven from office and plunged into a disgraceful and perpetual oblivion. There are many good people in these two counties who sincerely deplore this condition. They are not in any way responsible for its existence and are bending every energy of body and mind in the honest and fearless endeavor to stamp it out and purify the political and moral atmosphere in which they and their families live. They are fighting against odds. The enemy is numerically much stronger and thoroughly entrenched. This fact, however, does not dismay these noble citizens and the battle will be waged in love, but with a relentless determination, until this citadel of vice and corruption is taken and a condition of right and decency established that will make these two counties a fit abode for God-loving and God-fearing men, women and children. It is to be hoped that those who are interested in the welfare of the State and residing elsewhere will not remain quiescent while this struggle is going on in these

WAR WITH MEXICO

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MT. VERNON SIGNAL

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TIME TABLE.

22 north.....	5:07 p.m.
24 north.....	3:56 a.m.
23 south.....	11:48 a.m.
21 south.....	12:18 a.m.

JAS. LANDRUM, Agent.
Phone No. 8.

Entered at the Mt. Vernon, Ky. Postoffice
as second-class mail matter.

PERSONAL

Mr. W. J. Sparks, is in Chicago
on business.

Fred McFerron made a flying
trip to Cincinnati, Monday.

Al Homes, young business man
of Crab Orchard, was here during
the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harper are
here from Reading, Ohio, visiting
his parents.

Robert McKenzie has entered
the law department of State Uni-
versity at Lexington.

D. G. Roach, the field manager
for the Commonwealth, was in
town Monday on business.

Sheriff and Mrs. Cam Mullins,
and Circuit Clerk and Mrs. T. J.
Niceley, are in Frankfort and
Louisville.

Mrs. Bessie McClure returned
Wednesday from a few day's visit
with her aunt, Mrs. E. J. Brown,
at Stanford.

Floyd Miller has been selected
assistant cashier of the Peoples
Bank to take Charley Thompson's
place. A splendid selection.

Swannie Price, of Level Green,
left here Tuesday for Judson, Ind.,
to spend a few months with his
brothers, Estill and Grover.

Mrs. R. E. Thompson and
daughter, Miss Tanna, of Crab
Orchard, were here this week
with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Poynter
and family.

John Pearl Landrum is the new
man behind the counter in Chas.
C. Davis' drug store. John is a
fine young man and will make a
good man in his new position.

Mr. S. E. Hellard and family
are now residents of Mt. Vernon
and will have charge of the Mt.
Vernon exchange. We welcome
these splendid people among us.

J. M. Turpin, who has been in
the hospital for some weeks suf-
fering with a severe attack of rheu-
matism, has recovered sufficiently
to return to his home at Langford.

James B. Pike and Fred Sow-
der, two popular young Knights
of The Grip, who hail from the
good town of Brodhead, are mak-
ing good. They were here this
week.

The many friends of R. A.
Welch, who has been on the sick
list for more than a year, will be
glad to learn that he is much bet-
ter and that each day shows a lit-
tle improvement.

Cecil Williams, who is district
manager of the Eleventh district
for the New York Life Ins. Co.,
has been in Mt. Vernon part of
the week, visiting relatives and
talking life insurance.

County Road Engineer and Mrs.
Moymahon will soon occupy the
Furnish property, known as
"Brookside". They are in Lex-
ington today buying their furni-
ture.

Judge and Mrs. R. G. Williams,
of Covington, entertained at lunch-
on on Saturday, at the Ft. Mit-
chell Country Club, in honor of
Mrs. W. J. Sparks and attractive
daughter, Miss Frances, who were
returning to their home in Mt.
Vernon after a visit with friends
in Chicago.

Charley Thompson resigned as-
sistant cashier to accept a place
as book-keeper in the Garrard
Bank & Trust Co. at Lancaster.
Charley is a fine young man, and
for the benefit of those who may
not know him as we do, we want to
add that he is a young man worthy
of every confidence and the kind
of a boy that is safe "to hang
on to."

LOCAL

Go to Fish's for good shoes for
men women and children.

Leave your kodak work with
Fish's. They do good work.

Ball-Band overshoes and rubbers
at cut prices at Fish's.

See Fish's about that new tailor
made suit for spring.

A child of Jim Weaver was
brought from some point in the
mountains where Mr. Weaver
lives, to Mareburg on the late
train yesterday afternoon for bur-
ial.

The W. J. Sparks Co. has just
been awarded the contract for a
large amount of ballast for the
short line of the L. & N. between
Louisville and Cincinnati. They
will open a quarry and install a
crushing plant out about eleven
miles from Louisville.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our sincere
thanks to our neighbors and
friends who were so kind and at-
tentive during the sad hours of
affliction and death of our loving
daughter, Mattie.

MR. AND MRS. J. W. RIDDLE.

Edward L. Babb, of Winstead,
Conn., repaired a defective stove
in his home with an old piece of
iron; unfortunately the old piece
of iron proved to be a small
cannon, loaded, which exploded
as soon as a fire was built and
rendered the stove rather more de-
fective than it was before.

What is thought by those who
have seen it to be the oldest shirt
in this section of the country is on
display in Fish's corner window
today. It is a heavy work shirt,
the cotton of which it is made was
grown, carded and spun by Mrs.
Sarah Welch, mother of our Rich-
ard Welch, at South Tunnel, Tenn.,
in the year 1865. It was made by
hand in the same year by Mrs.
Patsy Myers, deceased wife of
Uncle Jim Myers near town. The
shirt has a lining of brown domes-
tic which at that time sold at six
teen and two-third cents per yard.
The same brown domestic now
sells for about half that price. The
shirt is considerably heavier than
you will find these days.

SERVICES AT THE CHRISTIAN
CHURCH FOR SUNDAY

Sunday school 9.45.
Preaching service 11.00 a. m.
Subject: "A Strong Man's Strong-
est Appeal."

Christian Endeavor 9.30 p. m.

Evening church service 7.30 p. m.
Mr. J. O. Smithson, Field Sec-
retary for the Kentucky Anti-Saloon
League, will be with us and ad-
dress the congregation at this ser-
vice. He is very desirous of
speaking to as many of the people
of Mt. Vernon as can possibly be
gotten to this service. Every one
should feel that the cause which
he represents is of common in-
terest, and we want every one to
feel that this service is theirs as
much as it is ours.

H. T. YOUNG, Minister.

Mrs. T. J. Niceley delightfully
entertained the L. E. C. Club of
Young Ladies, at her home Friday
evening, February 4th. Ice cream
was served and all report a very
pleasant evening. Those present
were Misses Khron, Estep,
Newberry, Winnie Falin, Mary
Jay Latham, Tabitha Hiatt, Julia
Fish, Margurite and Verna Welch,
Ruth Litton, Cecelia Walton, Onie
Silvers, Christine McFerron, Ada
Brown, Christine Davis, Hazel
Johnson, Margurite Sparks, Vir-
ginia and Sidney Crawford and
Ruth Landrum. Messrs. Mathew
Finzel, F. L. Thompson, Jr., David
I. Craig, Jamie Thompson, Omer
Chesnut, Logan Bryant, Herbert
Cox, John Pearl Landrum, Ralph
Griffin, Richard Cox, Hiatt Craw-
ford, Rame Richards, John Al-
bright, Julian Miller, Willie Davis
and Byron Webb.

The directors of the Mt. Vernon
Fair Association met Saturday
and perfected some of the plans
for 1916 exhibition which will
take place Aug. 9-10, and 11.
Nothing will be left undone to
make this year the best in the his-
tory of the fair. The Ford will be
given away as stated last issue and
many improvements will be made
on the grounds. The catalogue
will be enlarged and more premi-
ums for Rockcastle people added.
It has been agitated that the fair
be made purely a Rockcastle coun-
ty fair, but that idea will not be
carried into effect this year, prob-
ably so next year. However the
catalogue will be so arranged that
it will be more attractive to the
Rockcastle farmer. A county
fair should have for its purpose
the betterment of the county and
the more attractive the average
county fair is made to its people
right at home the better the fair.

Just before going to press word
reached us announcing the death
of Mr. T. S. Frith, of Brodhead,
one of the county's oldest, wealth-
iest and most honored citizens.
The burial will take place today at
2 o'clock p. m. with Masonic hon-
ors at the Brodhead cemetery. Our
most efficient Brodhead cor-
respondent who knows Mr. Frith
and his life, will in next weeks
letter give a full account, with a
fitting tribute to the memory of
this splendid citizen.

WOMAN'S CLUB.

The reception of last Friday
evening, given under the auspi-
cies of the Committee on Civics of
the Woman's Club, was thorough-
ly enjoyed by some fifty guests.
During the period preceeding the
social hour a short impromptu
program was rendered by the fol-
lowing speakers: Mrs. Mattie
Mullins gave an interesting de-
scription of the child's picture
show and its origin. Rev. H. T.
Young and Mr. C. C. Williams
gave short talks on civic improve-
ment and the work of the Wo-
man's Club along this line. Mr.
E. S. Albright and Mr. Reinke
spoke of an improved water sys-
tem for Mt. Vernon and how it
can be obtained. Delightful re-
freshments were served by the
hostesses. The Woman's Club
will have its next regular meeting
at the Langdon Dormitory this
evening at three o'clock.

Tuesday night was the annual
stockholders' meeting of the Mt.
Vernon Power Co., for the elec-
tion of officers: The following
gentlemen were chosen as direct-
ors: U. G. Baker, C. D. Sutton,
Judge, L. W. Bethurum, Atty.
C. C. Williams and E. S. Albright.
Following the stockholders' meet-
ing the directors met and pro-
ceeded to organize by electing U.
G. Baker, President, C. D. Sutton
Vice Pres., James Maret, Sec'y.,
C. L. Thompson, Jr., Treas. and
E. S. Albright, Manager. The
Manager filed a report of the last
year's business of the Company
which was very satisfactory to
those interested. Just two years
ago the Mt. Vernon Power Co.,
was organized and less than
twenty months ago the lights
were turned on for the first time.
The success has been all that
could be expected, and if there is
a dissatisfied customer, he has
never as yet let his dissatisfaction
be known. This is an example of
what can be done in Mt. Vernon
and is evidence that there are other
things we could have which we
need very badly and would be just
as good a proposition, for instance
water works, an ice plant, a flour
mill, one or more small factories
and other things which we could
enumerate.

A Phoenix, Arizona Paper tells
the horrible story of the arrest of
I. C. Edwards, who is well known
in this county, on a charge of in-
cest with his own 15 year old
daughter. The warrant was
"worn out by Edwards' son in
law. The paper says that when
the officers went to arrest Ed-
wards that he fought like a tiger.
When overpowered and finally
placed behind the bars, the paper
says that he pleaded with the jailer
to kill him. Edwards came to
this county from North Carolina
and for a number of years was a
very successful teacher and farm-
er; and while a citizen of this coun-
ty was highly respected. He mar-
ried Miss Laura Livesay, a daugh-
ter of the late George Livesay
and one of our finest county girls.
Some eight or ten years ago Ed-
wards and his family moved to
Phoenix, Ariz., where he is said
to have been very successful in
business. About three years ago
Mrs. Edwards died, leaving five
or six children. The daughter
who has been the victim of a man
whom she must own as her father,
but who is lower than the lowest
animal, or brute, of the brute
creation, is supposed to be about
17 years old, being his second
child. Edwards was here about
a year ago looking after his chil-
dren's interest in the Livesay es-
tate. He had with him, his small-
est child, four years old, a bright
and pretty little girl. The En-
glish language furnishes no word or
group of words which will express
our contempt for such a brute as
E. C. Edwards has proven him-
self to be, and the best we can
hope for, is that the laws of the
state of Arizona are rigid enough
that never again will civilized so-
ciety be menaced by such a
scoundrel.

The following we received with
the request to print: "Mr. Ed-
Feathers, a valued L. & N. em-
ployee, last week purchased a
Maxwell touring car, which he
has received and learned to drive.

The Brewer Musical Entertain-
ers, the fourth number of the Ly-
ceum course, will take place at
Graded School building next
Monday night, Feb. 14. The
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ed School next Monday.

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preacher who once took his text,
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and he cured them of divers dis-
eases." Said he: "My dying con-
gregation, that is a terrible text,
Disease in the world. The diph-
theria slays its hundreds, typhoid
fever its thousands, but in the lan-
guage of the text, if you take the
divers you are gone. Earthly doc-
tors can cure little ills if they get
there in time, but no one but the
good Lord can cure the divers."

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about it.

OUR PUBLIC FORUM

R. P. Schwerin
On the Seamen's Bill



The American plowmen are interested in sea com-
merce. It is expensive and likewise humiliating to have
to salute a foreign flag every time a farmer wants to ship
a bushel of wheat, a bale of cotton or a pound of farm
products across the ocean. The American farmer is en-
titled to the protection of his flag in sending his products
across the sea, and Congress should give such encourage-
ment to shipping interests as is necessary to meet foreign
competition in ocean commerce. A recent bill known as
the Seamen's Bill became a law under the President's
signature and Mr. R. P. Schwerin, vice-president of the
Pacific Mail Steamship Company, when asked to define
this law and outline its effect upon American steamship
lines, said in part:

"The bill provides that no ship of any nationality shall be permitted to
depart from any port of the United States unless she has on board a crew
not less than seventy-five per centum of which, in each department thereof,
is able to understand any order given by the officers of such vessel, nor
unless forty per centum in the first year, forty-five per centum in the second
year, fifty per centum in the third year, fifty-five per centum in the fourth
year after the passage of this Act, and thereafter sixty-five per centum of her
deck crew, exclusive of licensed officers and apprentices, are of a rating not
less than able seamen."

"The overseas trade of the world is competitive, therefore the original
cost of the ship and the operation of the ship have to be reckoned with in
the keen competition of these rival nations with one another. The Oriental
sailor is obedient and competent and is the cheapest sailor in the world.
It is therefore manifestly clear that if this law applied to all nationalities
in the transpacific traffic, all would be on the same economic basis, but it
works a single hardship to all the ships of the world, except the Japanese
and American ships, and with the latter it works two hardships. With the
European, the cost of constructing a ship is no higher than the cost of con-
structing a Japanese ship, but if they had to provide European crews, while
the Japanese operated with Japanese crews, the condition of competition
would be such that they could not overcome the handicap and they would be
driven out. But the American ship would have to contend not only with the
tremendous increase of cost of wage in the substitution of the European crew
for the Chinese crew, but also the greater initial cost of the ship. As the
Japanese have now done away with their European officers and Japanese
crews, all of whom speak a common language, there is no difficulty for them
to comply with all the conditions of the bill and continue their Japanese
crews, with Oriental wages."

"The law, therefore, instead of assisting the American ship, adds another
heavy burden, while it places none whatever upon the Japanese ship, but, on
the contrary, turns over to the Japanese the traffic of the Pacific Ocean,
which the American ship is forced to forego by act of Congress of the
United States."

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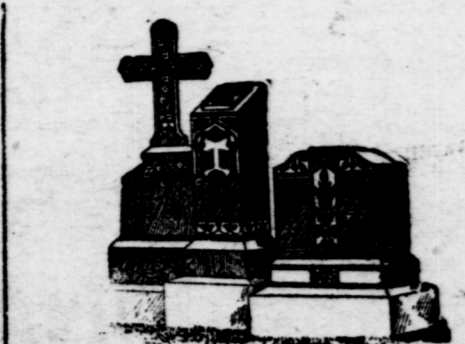
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Handled At A Special
Session

WM. C. ALLEN IS OUSTED

Morrow Raises a Rumpus Over Al-
leged Deal For "Stanley" County
Which Is Being Investigated.

Frankfort, Ky., Special.—Revision of Revenue and Taxation laws, considered to be the most needed legislation in Kentucky, will in all probability be handled at a special session of the General Assembly to be called by Governor Stanley, after the adjournment of the regular session about the middle of March.

This continues to be the general impression among the solons who realize the great importance and the many problems in this connection which will have to be worked out.

Remedial and constructive legislation is promised by the Democrats now that the Pike County partition bill is defeated and it is claimed that there will be no further time-wasting divergence.

The early days of February brought trouble to the Democratic ranks when Representative Frank C. Greene, Carrollton, and W. B. Harvey, of Dixon, assumed the role of insurgents and said a lot of things about Governor Stanley, winding up by putting themselves off the administration reservation when they voted with the Republicans against unseating Wm. C. Allen, Republican, to the favor of S. C. Dobbs, Democrat, whom a majority of the House Committee determined to have won in the Wayne-Clinton district. Rep. L. B. Hamilton, of Frankfort, also voted with the Republicans in this instance.

Another matter which made trouble was the charge of Edwin P. Morrow, defeated candidate for Governor on the Republican ticket, who declared that the rich Williamson family (Republicans), of Mingo County, West Virginia, and Boyd County, Kentucky, made a deal with Tom Hatcher, the new member of the State Board of Prison Commissioners, whereby 1,500 Republicans voted the Democratic ticket at the November election, in exchange for a division of Pike county to be known as Stanley County.

A committee was appointed composed of Senators Hite Huffer, J. B. Hiles and Bishop S. Huntsman to make an investigation of these charges and also the charges of a newspaper in which it was claimed that money had been offered or used for the purpose of influencing votes.

The anti-trust bill and the anti-pass bill are the first of the administrative measures to be passed by both houses and reach Governor Stanley for his signature.

Important legislation expected to be taken up next will be the anti-lobby; corrupt practices, text books and the measure to put into effect the constitutional amendment providing for the working of convicts on the public highways.

The Woman Suffrage supporters were greatly shocked when the House Committee decided to report their bill unfavorable. Their opportunity to have the constitutional amendment passed at this session seems to have been crushed.

With an unfavorable report on the state-wide prohibition amendment by the House Committee, several efforts have been made to bring the bill out by Representative Frank Greene. Dry leaders in the House declare that they will endeavor to obtain a vote on it even though the Senate has already defeated a similar measure.

Dr. H. P. Sights has made it known that he will not be an applicant for reappointment as Superintendent of the Western Kentucky Hospital for the Insane, at Hopkinsville. There are many candidates after the juicy plum which will be given out sometime before the expiration of Dr. Sights' term on July 1st.

In their efforts to prevent the confirmation of the appointments of Jack Nelson, Paducah, and Omer Stubbs, Newport, who were appointed to be Factory and Assistant Factory Inspectors, the Kentucky Federation of Labor, lost in their protest of Cohen's choice, after Governor Stanley had ascertained that they were both members of the union and in good standing.

Resolutions have been adopted by the State Board of Agriculture, protesting against the transfer of \$30,000 from its fund to the State University, to be used in Government co-operative demonstration work.

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STANFORD, KY.

It is claimed that this action would practically abolish the board, destroy the State Fair, abolish the position of State Veterinarian and cripple the entire Department of Agriculture, and take away all of the appropriation which has been used to the benefit of the entire state.

Governor Stanley has accepted an invitation to attend the banquet of the Mose Green Club in Louisville on the evening of February 28th.

Lieut. Governor Black, President of the State Senate, is very proud of his gavel. It is of solid ivory with an ebony handle and a band of sterling silver with the inscription "Presented to Lieut. Gov. James D. Black by the Sunday schools of Barbourville, Ky. December 25, 1915." It was intended for a Christmas gift but some delay occurred by the manufacturers and he received it the first week in February.

It has been decided by the Democratic leaders to put through measures re-apportioning the State into senatorial and legislative districts strongly urged by the Republicans.

The redistricting bills that will have the backing of the Democrats will carry out the constitutional provision that not more than two counties shall be joined together in one legislative district. At the present time several of them are made up in three counties and one has four, Bell, Harlan, Leslie and Perry counties.

It is a most difficult task, due to many conflicting interests, but the Democratic leaders believe that they can get together on a satisfactory measure.

W. C. Allen, Republican, representative from Clinton and Wayne counties, was unseated by a vote of 57 to 39, in favor of S. C. Dobbs, Democrat, who contested the election. Party lines were drawn with the exception of four Democratic members who voted against unseating Allen.

The contest means that the State will pay over \$600 more to have a Representative from the Clinton-Wayne district than any of the other ninety-one districts.

Allen will receive \$250 awarded him for contest expenses in addition having drawn \$300 in per diem besides his mileage and stationary allowance.

Dobbs will receive per diem from the first day of \$710 for the whole session and is entitled to his other expenses the same as if he had started upon his duties the opening day.

The general impression seems to be that "Uncle Bill" Allen, has made his calling and election certain two years hence as the district is overwhelming Republican. The unique mountain solon could not conceal his emotions when he was ousted from the House membership.

The fight to create the new county of Stanley by a partition of Pike county, has been dropped, according to the chief supporters. The bill was laid on the table in the Senate, but still is in shape to be considered if a majority is mustered in its support.

State Superintendent Gilbert and school officials over the state will fight the bill introduced in the senate to pay the appropriations for the State University and normal schools amounting to \$237,000, out of the state school fund instead of the general fund.

It is claimed that this would cripple the work of the State Department of Education.

With the consent of the authors three health measures have been voluntarily withdrawn or killed in the General Assembly. The most important was the "all time health officer" bill, backed by the State Board of Health. This bill provided for the abolishment of the health boards in all cities except Louisville, Covington, Newport, Lexington and Paducah and making the county the unit for public health service. A county health officer devoting all of his time at a salary of ten cents per annum for each person in the county was provided.

Pierce Holton, of Frankfort, has been given a place in the Rating Board office by Auditor Greene.

Governor Stanley has appointed the following Colonels on his staff: Dr. Hart, Hopkinsville; W. Vernon Richardson, Danville, and Wallace Stovall, Tampa, Fla.

Sam C. Elliott, of Louisville, has been appointed Deputy Fire Marshall to succeed Edward Bright of Glasgow. The appointment was made by Auditor Greene.

Attorney-General Logan has made an attack upon the expenses of the State Department of Education, pointing out enormous expenditures and claiming that seven stenographers are not needed in that department.

Public Instruction Superintendent Gilbert answered his criticism saying that the insinuation as to the employment of relatives and further statement of extravagance of his predecessor and other matters have no bearing on the present administration. Gilbert says that he has neither wife, brother, sister nor other kinsman employed in his department and that the insinuation of Logan missed the mark. The employment of seven stenographers is necessary, says Prof. Gilbert.

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E. S. FLEMING.

The writer of the above was sent from Rockcastle for horsestealing. He brought a horse, belonging to Bob Walker at Richmond, to this county and sold it. A petition is being circulated asking for Fleming's release.

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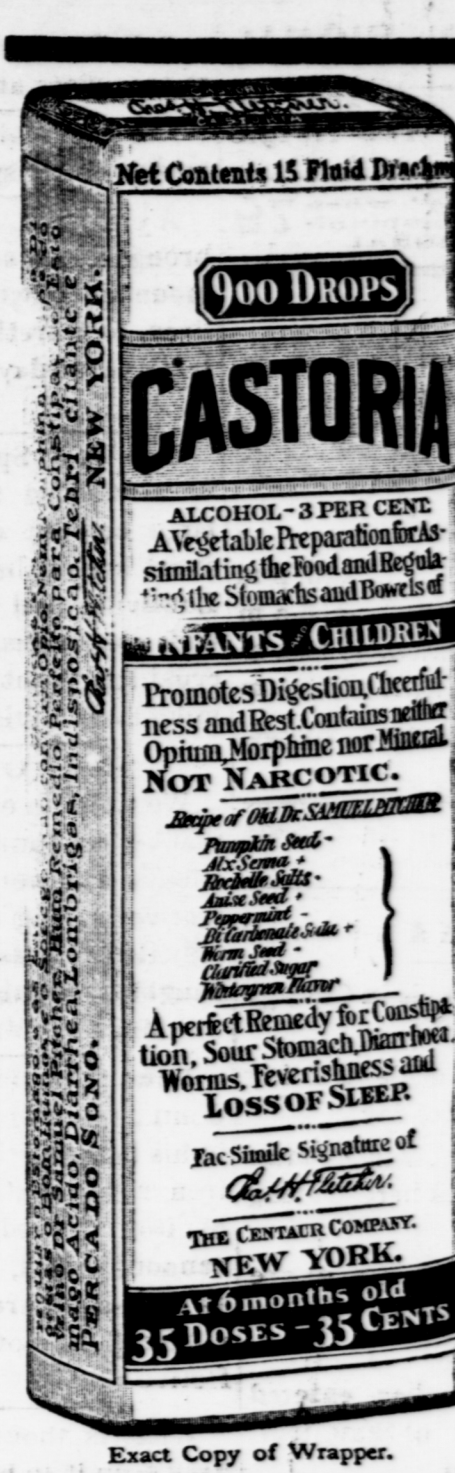
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